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Patent Application of : Rolf GÖTZ, et al
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OF A STOP MEANS DESIGNED ...

PRELIMINARY
AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 1, after the title, please insert --BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION--.

Page 1, before the paragraph which begins with "The object of the invention," please insert

--SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION--.

Page 5, before the second paragraph, which begins with "Additional advantageous," please

insert --BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS--.

Page 5, before the paragraph, which begins with "The device 1," please insert --DETAILED

DESCRIPTION OF THE INVENTION--.

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